



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)Confirmation No.:6765
KOKUBUN et al.)
Serial No. 10/649,695)Examiner: Lisa Herring
Filed: August 28, 2003)
For: OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE AND METHOD)
OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME)

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF FEE DEFICIENCY

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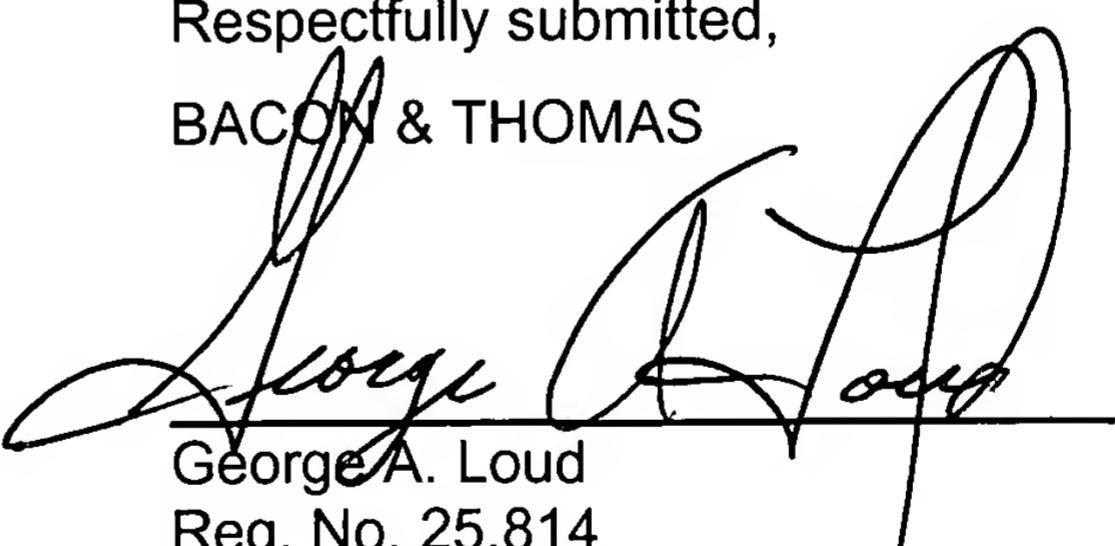
Sir:

Responsive to the notice dated March 1, 2006, (copy attached), submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$250.00 in payment of the fee for five extra claims.

It is respectfully requested that the amendment filed on February 17, 2006 now be entered.

Respectfully submitted,

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